

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please add the following claims to the application:

1 31. (New) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the step  
2 of establishing a relationship of at least one marker  
3 relative to the target includes using an anatomy of a  
4 patient undergoing a radiation treatment as the at least  
5 one marker.

1 32. (New) The method as claimed in claim 31, wherein the step  
2 of establishing a relationship of at least one marker  
3 relative to the target includes using an internal anatomy  
4 of the patient as the at least one marker.

1 33. (New) The method as claimed in claim 31, wherein the step  
2 of establishing a relationship of at least one marker  
3 relative to the target includes using an external anatomy  
4 of the patient as the at least one marker.

**REMARKS**

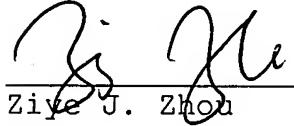
By this preliminary amendment, the specification has been amended to update reference information, and new claims 31-33 have been added to the application. Claims 1-33 are pending in the subject application. A marked version of amended paragraph in the specification is presented in Appendix A.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments, he is invited to call the undersigned representative of Applicants at (408) 993-1555.

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